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For: POLYMERS WITH SOFT SEGMENTS CONTAINING SILANE-CONTAINING  
GROUPS, MEDICAL DEVICES, AND METHODS

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 22, 2006, please consider the following remarks.